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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: EYAL ET AL.

Examiner: D. TRUONG

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Title: LACTIC ACID PROCESSING; METHODS; ARRANGEMENTS; AND
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed November 29, 2005, said period of response being extended from February 28, 2006 to March 29, 2006.

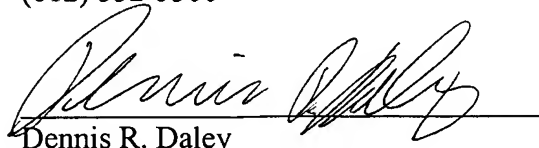
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Respectfully submitted,

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